

The Bethel News.

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BETHEL, MAINE, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1907.

PRICE THREE CENTS.

MUSLINS.

Prices are Down, Way Down on These Goods.

We want to clean up our Muslins, Satens, Silk Muslins, and Voiles, so we have marked them at very low figures.

One Lot containing Voiles and Muslins in many shades, now only 5c per yard
One Lot Mercerized Satens in black, green, blue and brown, with small figures, was 12 1/2c, now 10c
One Lot Figured Muslins in all shades, suitable for dresses, shirt waists and dressing gowns, were 12 1/2c, now 8 1/2c
One Lot Figured Silk Muslins, very neat and dainty, were 25c, now 12 1/2c
One Lot Dotted Silk Muslins in light and navy blue, white, pink and black, were 37 1/2c, 42c, 50c, now 25c
One Lot Arnold Silks in white and lavender, were 50c, now 37 1/2c
One Lot Mohair in blue and black mixtures, 36 inch, was 50c, now 37 1/2c
One Lot Blue and Black Dress Goods, 44 inches, was \$1.60, now 62 1/2c
One Lot All Wool Dress Goods in black and blue with small white thread, was \$1.50, now 75c

Thomas Smiley
Norway, Maine.

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Specialist
If you want the best of glasses see Dr. Parmenter. Why? Because he repairs all breakage on Shur-on Mountings for one year free. Also insures your lenses against all breakage at the same time. Best work. I warrant lenses against all breakage. I make good all broken lenses. Have your lenses insured by me. Examinations or consultations free. These are some of the reasons why you should get your optical work here. Artificial Eyes.
DR. PARMENTER,
EYE SPECIALIST
NORWAY, ME. Tel. 184 MAINE.

A BIG BOOM IN BETHEL

MAY NOT BE DESIRABLE, BUT STEADY GROWTH IS.

To get this patronize home institutions; buy your goods at Bethel stores; support Bethel schools, churches and local enterprises. Spend your money at home with local merchants but remember that the best way to pay all bills is by a check. Make a deposit with us then

DRAW CHECKS ON THE

BETHEL NATIONAL BANK

E. C. Vandencerkhoven

PHOTOGRAPHER.
Main Street.

BETHEL, MAINE

FOR SALE.—Houses, Boot and shoe shop, with modern machines and tools. Store in front room, repair shop in back. Two rent over store, together with a paying business. A modern, elegantly furnished hotel, with good patronage. A beautiful residence, fine location, every modern convenience. A boarding house and 300 acre Maine farm. I can save you money. Come and see. **HAYES' FARM AND REAL ESTATE AGENCY,** Oxford, Maine.

FOR SALE. I have at my house some household goods from the estate of the late Alice G. Wright. These include two trunks, beds and mattresses and springs for same, some old chairs, an oval, round, square, tables and various other things. Call and see them. **R. F. PARK**

NOTICE. Any one wanting a one-half acre of land near the station please call on George T. Lawrence. Bethel, Me. Sept. 12

Woman born a clear, rosy complexion. Darkish blood. Bitter part of the blood, about the skin, restores body, sound health.

LADIES' CLUB FAIR

Thursday of This Week. Bargain Day! Social Day! Feast Day!

The ladies of the club wish to meet all their friends at the Congregational Chapel on the afternoon and evening of this, their annual occasion, for the exchange of friendly courtesies, and of choice goods for cash.

The display of all sorts of articles is guaranteed to be up to the usual standard, and the prices right.

For cream weather is upon us. You can't eat too much of our wholesome home made ice cream. Candy, Bethel hand made will do you good, not harm; it is sweetening and fattening.

What a blessing in this hot weather to get a good, multi-course supper without standing over the fire to cook it. Come and eat an A 1 supper.

The regular resort for Thursday this week will be the Congregational Chapel, where hostess, the Ladies' Club.

MUSICAL

Bethoven, Mendelssohn and other Classics for the First Time Echo at Songs.

The first musical of the season was held at Mr. Morningstar's cottage on Long Lake and was a grand success. Mrs. George M. Rich, the famous amateur pianist of New York, played the piano in duet with style and finish. Mr. Ed. Benth, the violin virtuoso of the Arson Society of New York, played most admirably, and Mr. Morningstar played his famous cello, an accompaniment.

The following selections were rendered: Bethoven's symphony No. 1 and No. III. Mendelssohn's symphony No. 1. Schumann's Klavier quartette. Overture to the Opera Truphens. The Swan (Le Cygne) M. S. S. Tannhauser's Trio (Wagner).

There were other delightful selections. A large crowd was in attendance and enjoyed the evening very much.

BUSINESS POINTERS

Or Everybody's Bargain Counter.

This is the season of the year for this clothes and this price. You'll find both here. P. H. Noyes Co. Our Bargains will bring you back again and again. P. H. Noyes Co. Have you read our ad today? See what we have to say. P. H. Noyes Co. Our present prices on clothing would tempt a miser. P. H. Noyes Co.

NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Bethel Local Telephone and Telegraph Co.

Bethel, Me., Aug. 10, 1907. Gentlemen: There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Bethel Local Telephone and Telegraph Co. to discuss the advisability of a long distance connection with the Maine Telephone and Telegraph Co. Said meeting will be held Saturday, Aug. 17, 1907, at 7:30 p. m. at the office of H. H. Hamlin in Bethel village. Per order of President, and by petition of directors.

Model Dyspepsia Cure
Shows what you eat.

THE NEWS ABOUT TOWN

ITEMS OF INTEREST PICKED UP BY THE NEWS MAN.

Mrs. Alice Farwell is visiting in Gilad.

Miss Elsie Hall was in Portland Monday.

Mrs. I. H. Wight was in Gorham, N. H., Tuesday.

*Mr. and Mrs. Ira C. Jordan were in Watford Saturday.

Mrs. Flora Richardson is visiting her daughter at West Paris.

Mrs. Young of Massachusetts is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Gotthard Carlson of Boston is a guest at Dr. E. B. Tuell's.

Miss Minnie Capen is with Mrs. E. L. Edwards for a few weeks.

Ex-Mayor Beals of Bangor has been a guest at Prof. W. B. Chapman's.

Mr. A. M. Edwards is at home from Boston for a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Frank Young has returned from a two weeks' visit in Boston.

Mrs. W. R. Chapman and daughter, Nellie, were in Portland Monday.

Mr. Fritz Tyler is erecting a blacksmith shop on Summer street.

Mrs. Emilus Littlehale and Mrs. Nutter were in Norway Saturday.

Mrs. Sewell Godwin and son of Andover were in town one day last week.

Miss Merrill is the guest of Miss Lucella Boothby at Mrs. O. M. Mason's.

Mrs. Cyrus Barker and daughter are visiting friends in Bethel and vicinity.

The Universalist circle will meet this week with Mrs. E. C. Park on Church street.

Lucian Littlehale attended the baseball tournament at Norway last Saturday.

Charles Egan is at home for a vacation before returning to Maine University.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Frank Kenhall next Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Rosa Wyman of Norway has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hastings Barker.

Miss Marion Allen of New Haven, Conn., has been visiting her friend, Miss Molly Carter.

Mr. Marston and wife, (née Ellen Abbott) left Saturday for their future home in Waterville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Park and daughter, Muriel, spent last week at Portland and Ferry Beach.

Mrs. Henrietta Connor and Miss Alice Jefferson of Lynn, Mass., are visiting at Mr. Eli Popen's.

Miss Nellie Branch of Providence, R. I., is spending the summer in Bethel with her sister, Mrs. F. L. Edwards.

Harold Chandler returned to Norway Monday, having spent two weeks with his grandparents. Francis returned home Saturday.

Mr. L. H. Hopkins was at Rumford Falls, Norway, South Paris, Mechanic Falls and Lewiston, recently, in the interest of Smith, Barrett & Co. of Boston.

Miss Helen Partridge accompanied by her sister, Mrs. J. V. Hall, and little Reginald, arrived Tuesday afternoon. Miss Partridge has spent the last several weeks with her sister in Andover, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Young went to Gorham, N. H., Monday, where Mr. Young has been transferred as night operator at the G. T. R. station, and Mr. William Jordan of Gorham is the night operator there.

The News is pleased to report that Mr. Ed. A. Carter, who went to San Francisco, Cal., last fall, is very pleasantly located as assistant engineer of the California Powder Works at Pacific, Cal. He has charge of the belt forces and construction work, and has a very nice situation. Mr. Carter is a promising young man and we are pleased to hear of his early success in the west.

Mr. Frank Flint was in Norway Sunday.

Mrs. A. D. Colson and children are visiting at her home in Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. French of Portland were in town Sunday.

Miss Lindy Lawrence is visiting at Mr. R. E. L. Farwell's.

Misses Ethel and Florence Richardson were in Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. Irving Clark of Lynn, Mass., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Angelia Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stanley are receiving congratulations on the birth of an eight pound son Sunday.

Prof. W. S. Wight left for eastern Maine last week where he will open his season's work of singing schools.

Mrs. Tilson Burke and daughter, Emma, and aunt, Mrs. Young of Massachusetts, spent Sunday in Bethel, N. H.

The Universalist society will hold a food sale on the store piazza of Mr. E. C. Howe next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hastings of Dorchester arrived in Bethel Thursday for a visit of a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Hastings.

Mrs. C. O. Foster and son, Wilfred, returned from Boston last week where they have been spending several weeks with Mr. Foster.

Mrs. Elmer Cole and two daughters of Washington, D. C., who are spending the summer at East Bethel, visited Mrs. Harriet Rich last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Howe, Miss Mildred Tuell and Mr. Gotthard Carlson of Boston went to Locke's Mills camping Saturday, returning Monday.

Mrs. D. S. Hastings accompanied Mr. E. M. Skinner and family as far as Portland on their return to Dorchester, Mass., returning the same day on the late train.

Mrs. Fannie Hastings and grand-daughter of East Cambridge and Mrs. Capt. Charles Stokes of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent Sunday with their cousin, Miss P. M. Hazen.

Mr. Edward King went to Greene Saturday, returning Monday accompanied by his wife and son, Edward, who have been spending a few weeks there. Mrs. Emily Pillsbury and grand-son, Thurston, will stay a short time longer.

A party of young ladies consisting of Misses Edith Hastings, Margaret Whitden, Helen Bishop, Molly Carter, Gertrude Stevens, Agnes Marten and Mrs. J. L. Dyer are spending a week at Pease's cottage, North Road, Locke's Mills.

Mr. E. F. Morningstar, who is at his cottage at Bangor, together with his children, Frank, Gertrude, and his step-son, Henry H. Morningstar and Mrs. M. B. Bent, recently caught 30 bass from the pier recently located in front of Mr. Morningstar's cottage.

Last Tuesday Mrs. E. M. Skinner and family made the return trip to Dorchester by auto, after a visit of three weeks in Bethel. They pronounced it an ideal way of traveling and report no mishaps except a few showers which added to the spice of the journey.

The annual concert of the Universalist church will be held at Ocean Hall on Thursday evening, Aug. 22. Tickets will be on sale at Basserman's drug store. Prices 25c, 50c, and 1.00. The concert will be followed by a dance, candy cream and cake on sale. An excellent programme is promised.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hutchins have the deep sympathy of many friends in the sorrow which has come to them in the death of their little daughter, Hilda Muriel Hutchins, at the home of Mrs. Hutchins' mother, Mrs. Ida Hutchins, in Bethel village, Saturday. The little girl had been seriously ill for some time from cholera infantum and although everything possible was done to save it, all effort was ineffectual. She was but nine months old and was an only child. She was a bright, sunny little baby and was beloved by the devoted father and mother. The funeral was held at the home of Mrs. Ida Hutchins Monday forenoon, Rev. A. B. Carter officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchins reside at West Bethel and were visiting Mr. Hutchins' mother when the child was taken sick.

The Woman Who Dresses Well

Finds many articles in my stock that aid in making an attractive appearance.

Wide, wash SILK GIRDLES, in white and colors, - - - - - 50c.

LINEN EMBROIDERED BELTS with fancy Buckles, - - - - - 25c. each.

LEATHER BELTS, white, black and brown, 25 and 50c.

FANCY COLLARS, a large line at 10, 15, 25 and 50c.

CUFF PINS, gold, gold filled, silver and black, from - - - - - 25c. to \$2.00.

Edward King,
Bethel, Maine.

BROOKLYN, N. Y. REAL ESTATE

Is presenting the greatest opening for desirable investment in this Country.

I can offer several selections which will probably net investors

10 to 25 per cent. a year.

Address till August 22,

Chas. S. Estes,
Care JOSEPH HOLT,

1232 Bethel, Maine.

Live Poultry Wanted.

I will pay 12c per pound.

I. O. B. your station for fowl.

Wilfred Glean Poultry Farm,

S. L. HANNACORD, Prop.

Gorham, N. H.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

Bethel, July 30, 1907.

A clean bill of health. I have tested C. C. Merrill's cows furnishing milk for this village and found them all in first class condition. The barn and milk-house are clean and in fine order.

G. W. FERNALD,
Cattle Inspector.

When the Hair Falls

Then it's time to act! No time to study, to read, to experiment! You want to save your hair, and save it quickly, too! So make up your mind this very minute that if your hair ever comes out you will use Ayer's Hair Vigor. It makes the scalp healthy. The hair stays in. It cannot do anything else. It's nature's way.

Ayer's

BUSINESS CARDS.

HERRICK & PARK,
Attorneys at Law,
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Attorney at Law,
Bethel, Me.
Long Distance Telephone.
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Physician and Surgeon,
Office in Residence at Bethel,
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Custom Shoes**

For men and women, \$3.50. Best
shoes made in Maine. Also Pine
State shoes for children. I al-
so have a good stock of Rubber,
Leather, Moccasins, etc.

Representing Dime and Pringle
E. E. RANDALL,
MAIN ST., BETHEL.

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Complete Design.
First-class workmanship.
Letters of inquiry promptly answered.
Get our work.
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Satisfaction Guaranteed.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY
IN EFFECT JUNE 16.

Train	Class	Rate
Portland, Maine	1st	1.50
Portland, Maine	2nd	1.00
Portland, Maine	3rd	.75
Portland, Maine	4th	.50
Portland, Maine	5th	.25
Portland, Maine	6th	.10
Portland, Maine	7th	.05
Portland, Maine	8th	.02
Portland, Maine	9th	.01
Portland, Maine	10th	.00

Spanish Omelet.
Chop finely on a small hot pan,
using fat and onion, as with all a
good omelet and add to this a tablespoonful
of minced onion and a pinch of
green chili pepper chopped fine. Cook
the onion, onion and pepper in a cup
of butter for five minutes. Beat the
eggs slightly, add salt to taste. Fry in a
buttered pan over a moderate fire.
When done, season with salt and pepper
and serve with a slice of buttered
toast.

A Simple Luncheon.
The third luncheon had been de-
cided on the table and a form dish in
the center. The menu had a rather
simple and common.

Crushed onions on remade of bones,
potatoes, cornmeal, baked onion,
brown, onion, onion and onion.

The Reason Why.
Another luncheon—how does it
begin and how does it end? Well,
the first was a success, but the
second was a failure.

Unpleasantly Disposed.
The first was a success, but the
second was a failure.

THE POLAND CHINA.

Possibilities of This Breed as Seen by
W. B. Cully.

The demand for more lean meat is
an acknowledged fact. The Poland China
will get it. This is one of the breed
that has been established. For his easy
feeding qualities his popularity has
grown over the years. Some have
tried to export the breed but as the
Poland China has died in the
market, the breed has been lost. The
Poland China is a breed that is not
lost. It is a breed that is not lost.

The trend of the market demand is
toward the Poland China. The breed
is a breed that is not lost. It is a
breed that is not lost. It is a breed
that is not lost. It is a breed that
is not lost. It is a breed that is not
lost. It is a breed that is not lost.

An exclusive corn diet during the
winter months, especially, can result
in nothing but failure to produce large
healthy litters. With the successful
producer the diet of the breed is
even more important before than
after farrowing.

To those who have mastered the
most important branch of hog
raising, the proficiency of the Poland
China has not been the question.
Given the same conditions under
which other breeds have proven profit-
able, we believe the Poland China
will be a great success.

PARTURE FOR SOW AND PIG.
Half Acre Tracts and Movable Houses
Work to Good Advantage.
I have found it a good practice to
construct a number of half-acre lots,
each with a portable house in every
corner and giving a new and better
place for individual hogs. By the
time they will have eaten or stamped
down all the green stuff on this lot
the house can easily be lifted
over the fence to the next lot and the
hogs moved where they will have
plenty of fresh green pasture.

The lot from which they have been
taken can then be plowed up and
sown in corn or soybean crops that
will grow comparatively fast. By the time
they have exhausted the second lot
they can be returned to the original
one. Thus the two lots will support
the sow and pigs until the pigs are
old enough to sell. If properly
cared for they will support the sow
the year round.

I have also found it good practice
to have a larger lot, if possible, of
from five to ten acres, to turn all the
pigs into after they have been
weaned. I allow them to remain
there until they are four or five
months old. I feed them in the morning
and afternoon three times of ground
corn and soybean. They will then be
in good, healthy condition to go into
the lot.

In building these portable houses
there is one thing that must be
borne in mind, and that is, no matter
how we where they are built, they
should provide good, clean, dry sleep-
ing quarters, and, above everything
else, be sanitary.

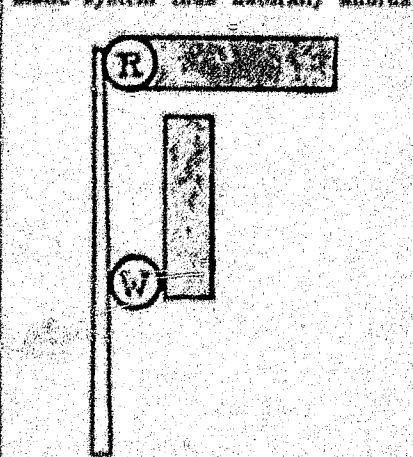
WATCH THE SIGNALS

ENGINEERS TRAINED TO EX-
TREMELY CAREFULNESS.

"Surprise Tests" Constructed by East-
ern Railroad Proved Men at
Throttle Were Worthy of
Their Responsibility.

"The engineer disregarded signals."
In future this verdict will seldom
be reached in investigations into rail-
road accidents. Recent "surprise
tests" held by an eastern railroad
showed that only three per cent. of
more than 2,000 engineers ran past
"danger" and "caution" signals sud-
denly spring upon them. This means
that the engineer is being trained to
clear regard for signals, and that the
modern system of signaling has facili-
tated this training.

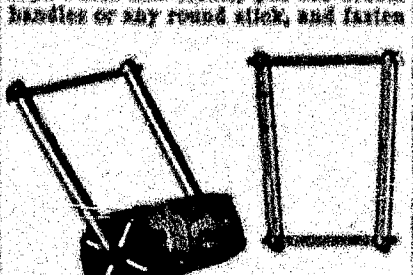
On the railroad automatic telegraph
block and interlocking switch and sig-
nal systems are used. Automatic sig-
nals are controlled by the train, and
human agency has nothing to do with
their operation. The telegraph block
signal system and the interlocking
switch and signal system each require
an operator to manipulate. The auto-
matic signal does not require an at-
tendant. At block signal stations the
rules of the company require that the
operator report to the proper officials
any engineer not properly observing
all signals. With the automatic block
signal system, however, the signals
are located between these offices,
where there is no one to report non-
observance of the signals. The auto-
matic system thus naturally affords



Proceed at Moderate Speed, on Mod-
erate Speed Track.

the best opportunity for "surprise
tests." If automatic signaling two signals
appear to the engineer. The "home"
signal is with reference to the block
immediately ahead. If that shows
"white" he may proceed. If it shows
"red" he must come to a stop before
passing the signal. If he passes the
signal by as much as five feet he has

A BARNED WIRE REEL.
Handy Device Which Makes Handling
of Wire Easy.
A very handy device to be used in
handling barbed wire is shown here-
with. Take two strips 3 1/2 inches
wide and 30 inches long and bore
holes through each end. Through these,
screw a bar and screw, put old broom
handles or any round stick, and fasten



A Fencing Convenience.

by driving a nail through the square
center. Leave one hole so that it
can be put through the rest of wire as
shown in the cut. The spool of wire
may be carried by drawing it over
the ground with this simple device.

HINTS FOR FARMERS.
Don't let any clouds get between
you and the sunshine.
The farmer's road to success is
paved with good resolutions.
Lie down and stretch out a few
minutes every day. That your eyes
and let the world see. It will do you
more good than anything else.

Trying to be a successful farmer
without industry, economy and mod-
est methods, is in the same line with
perpetual motion—has not been
solved.
Keep the cold water you drink these
days. A lot of cold water poured
down will be apt to bring on colic.
You haven't the time nor strength to
waste in that way.

When heavy clouds come up, shut
the doors at the barn and at the
house. If you don't, you may find
your roof aways over in the back-
yard and that would not be much fun.
More than one building has been an-
nihilated by having the roof blown in a
storm.—Farm Journal.
No Secret.
"To tell me, Mrs. Manning, how
you succeed in keeping your mind
help to me."
"By trying them merely help. I
couldn't do the work, you know."
Chicago Tribune.
Easy.
The New Office Building what do
you do to make it so easy to work
in?

THE KITCHEN FLOOR

is the hardest floor in the house to keep in good condition. But put
on a coat of

PORTLAND FLOOR PAINT
and you will have the brightest looking, the most easily cleaned and
the best wearing surface possible to have. Our FLOOR PAINTS
may be used anywhere indoors with perfect results. They dry over
night, and harden to a granite-like surface. For outdoor work, such
as piazzas, steps, docks, etc., we make a perfect product in

PORTLAND DECK PAINTS.
**BURGESS
FOBES & CO**
For Sale by W. E. Bosserman.

distance signals were set at "green,"
"home" signals at "red," at places
where engineers are accustomed to
find them "white" fuses were dis-
played, and torpedoes were placed on
the track at unusual places. Switch
lights extinguished, and everything in
connection with signaling trains was
placed either at a "caution" or "dan-
ger" position.
Other tests have been made by the
road. On August 4, 23 and 24, and
October 3 and 5 last year special tests
were held at certain stations. On
these occasions a total of 251 trains
passed the signal stations during the
tests, and all but 15 came to full stops
before reaching the testing point.
Every one of the 15 delinquents
brought his engine to a full stop be-
fore getting more than a few feet be-
yond the signal. But even in these
cases, where the error was simply one
of judgment in handling the air
brakes, every one of the engineers
was severely disciplined—in some
cases as much as 30 days' suspension
being imposed.

Of 180 trains tested on the main
line of the road recently 98 per cent.
obeyed the rules absolutely. The re-
maining two per cent. in not carrying
out the rules of the company were se-
verely disciplined. Tests made on the
New York division, where trains are
operated so frequently and many on
high speed schedules, gave a perfect
record in the observance of the com-
pany's rules. The records show a
constant decrease in the percentage
of those not obeying implicitly all
orders.

NOTHING ELSE TO DO.
Jim Hance Explains What Left
Him a Widower.
Jim Hance is one of the characters
who go with the Grand canyon of
Arizona—part of the general plan, so
to speak. Jim has a ranch about 14
miles from the chief hotel, and he
comes over there at times to talk to
the tourists.

Jim likes to tell stories to the tour-
ists. He thinks he has a copyright on
all the tales of the region, and, in fact,
considers himself one of the guardians
of the cause.
A woman from Boston was visiting
him one day. "How does it come, Mr.
Hance," she asked, "that you never
married?"
"Oh," said Jim, "I had a wife once,
but I lost her."
"Lost her? How was that?"
"Why," said Jim, shedding a tear,
"I married a girl out here and she was
the prettiest thing you ever saw. I
took her over to the ranch to live, and
we were very happy. She always
wanted to go down the canyon on my
tail, but I kept her from it until one
day when she wouldn't be put off no
longer. So I took her. I mounted her
on a dandy mule and we started. On
the way down, just at the worst point,
with a narrow trail and a sheer drop
of 2,000 feet on the other side, a bee
stung the mule on the flank. The
mule rose up and my wife fell off and
never hit that awful abyss."

"What happened?" exclaimed the
Boston woman.
"Why," said Jim, "my wife fell into
the most inaccessible part of the can-
yon, and it took me ten days to get
down there. When I got there I
found her. She had broken one of her
legs."
"Well," gasped the Boston woman.
"Oh," said Jim, as he turned away.
"Of course, I had to shoot her."—Sat-
urday Evening Post.

The Farmer's Living.
The farmer, with a little labor, can
live a pleasant, yet efficient life
and the hardest and lives the possi-
ble of his kind. He will not accept
the goods of the world. More properly
speaking, he will not accept them. What
is better than a handsome house? Yet
how many never raise one, but are
content to live in one and then?

That Was All.
"O, mamma, what a funny looking
man. Is he a chimney sweep?"
"No, darling, he just came from
Pittsburg.—Miss Maudie's Friend.
Not True to Nature.
The farmer, with a little labor, can
live a pleasant, yet efficient life
and the hardest and lives the possi-
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The Kitchen Floor

is the hardest floor in the house to keep in good condition. But put
on a coat of

PORTLAND FLOOR PAINT
and you will have the brightest looking, the most easily cleaned and
the best wearing surface possible to have. Our FLOOR PAINTS
may be used anywhere indoors with perfect results. They dry over
night, and harden to a granite-like surface. For outdoor work, such
as piazzas, steps, docks, etc., we make a perfect product in

PORTLAND DECK PAINTS.
**BURGESS
FOBES & CO**
For Sale by W. E. Bosserman.

IRA C. JORDAN.
Dealer in
General Merchandise and
GRAIN
BETHEL, MAINE.

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DEALER IN
Dry Goods and Groceries
Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes,
Gents' Furnishings
Ask about Dutchess Trousers

Ten cents a button, one dollar a rip.
Main Street,
Bethel, Maine.

**Sucrene
Dairy Feed**
Has no equal

It is composed of Cotton Seed Meal,
Gluten Feed, Corn, Oats and Barley pro-
duct with Molasses and is STRICTLY
UNADULTERATED. No headier or
profitable feed for dairy purposes can be
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Uncertain.
"How far will I get tonight of gas-
tine?"
"Can't tell."
"Well, approximately?"
"Don't know. Sometimes I get 200
miles without a stop and sometimes I
can't go more than ten."
"How do you explain such a vari-
ation?"
"Mum. Without interference I can
run 200 miles. But last week a tank-
ful carried me only two miles when a
bunch of whippersnappers and a constable's
badge put an end to my trip."

Perfumed Flower Bracelets.
A new fad of midday is for per-
fumed flower bracelets with which to
hold up her long gloves. The brace-
lets are made of a material which is an elastic
band. Between the band and the
wrist is hidden a tiny basket bag.
Mildly scented flowers are placed upon her
wrist a little bag composed of a
material which exactly matches the
shade of the bag. The bag is lined
with shagreen skin containing several
little pouches.
She has also discovered a new solid
sock that has one of the prongs sharp-
ened like a knife. This little sock
can be used to cut the undergarment
down away with the undergarment
down away with the undergarment

BRYANT'S POND.

Mrs. Dullie Carroll, formerly of this place, now a teacher in Franklin, Mass., is visiting her father and other relatives here.

Wm. Allen of Worcester was here over Sunday and visited his aunt, Mrs. Myra Cole.

Dr. A. B. Jernstedt of Baltimore will preach at the Universalist church August 15th. Services to be held at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Ansel Dalley, who has been staying with her daughter in California, has been seriously ill. She is now somewhat better.

Prof. Wicks of Patterson joined his family here Sunday night.

Arrangements are all completed for the fair to be held here Tuesday evening and Wednesday afternoon and evening of this week. Everything points to a successful fair. The proceeds will be used to assist the fire department.

The event will close by a grand ball Thursday evening at Dudley's Opera House. Music by Stearns orchestra of Norway.

Mrs. Emma Estes has returned to Portland.

The local company was out for practice Friday night and took a run to the lower end of the village. They put out 300 feet of hose and made a good showing with the tub. The company is much pleased with the work of the old Dixfield "Fire King."

Mr. Wm. H. Pearson is quite poorly and has been failing gradually for several months. It is understood that he has sold his farm to out of town parties, as he is not able to look after it.

An exciting game of ball was played here Saturday between our town team and Andover. Bryant's Pond won by a score of 12 to 11. Next Saturday, Aug. 17th, the Bethel club will be here and another interesting game is expected. Bethel has won one game from our club which will make the next one a contest of more interest.

NORWAY CENTER.

Harry Knightly and his mother from Lynn, Mass., are visiting at their old home.

Mrs. Lizette Foster from Leominster is staying with her mother, Mrs. Rachel Witt, who is quite feeble.

Mrs. and Maud Spaulding from Roxbury, Mass., called on friends here and at North Norway, recently.

Mrs. Grover from Worcester is visiting her mother, Mrs. Macomber, who is staying at W. C. Hobbs' for the season.

A little son of David Foster is staying at his father's boyhood home, with his uncle, Amos and aunt, Lydia, who still live on the old place.

A party went from Maplecroft to Backfield in an auto a few days ago and in returning were 55 minutes in coming as far as the village, and only 15 minutes from there up the hills to the center.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Mrs. R. L. Rand gave a delightful afternoon whist party at Camp Evergreen on Aug. 1st, to about sixteen of her friends. An enjoyable afternoon was spent and refreshments of bonbons, ice cream and cake were served. First prizes at whist were won by Mrs. Mable Farrington, Mrs. Alice Farrington; second, Mrs. Maud Herrick and Mrs. Blanch Chapman.

Aug. 7th about thirty friends of Elsie P. Rand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rand, surprised her at Camp Evergreen, the occasion being her fifteenth birthday. The afternoon was spent in playing chess, croquet and other games. Miss Ruth Stowell and Donald Tobeata taking prizes for chess. About 5 o'clock refreshments were served of sandwiches, assorted cakes, nuts, candy and ice cream. Miss Elsie received many pretty presents from her friends. After wishing many returns of the day, the party returned home, all having enjoyed a good time.

SUMMER.

Eunice Berry, who has been staying over to Dr. E. J. Marston's, has returned home.

Julian Dyer and family visited his aunt, Mrs. Henry Robinson, in Peru recently.

Amasa Tucker and family of Whitman, Mass., are visiting his aunt, Mrs. Hiram Buck.

Mrs. Nellie Thayer and daughter of North Abington, Mass., are visiting at L. W. Dyer's.

Charles Abbott, formerly of Sumner, is moving his household goods to North Abington, Mass.

Mr. Cook, wife and two daughters of North Attleboro, Mass., visited his daughter, Mrs. E. P. Bartlett, last week.

Walter Abbott, wife and two children of South Attleboro, Mass., are visiting his mother and brother, Carl Abbott, and other relatives.

WEST STONEHAM.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sawyer spent last Sabbath with friends in Lovell.

Herbert Adams has moved back to his cottage near the lake.

Carl W. C. Brooks of South Paris has been visiting friends in this vicinity the past week.

Mrs. J. C. Sawyer went to Norway last Thursday on business.

Olivia Frost of Norway is staying with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Adams.

The farmers have been improving the fine hay weather we have been having the past week harvesting their hay. Large quantities of hay still remain to be cut.

Mrs. Eldon McAllister who has been staying with her daughters at Lynn, Mass., came home one day last week. The inmates of Lloyd's Camps returned to their homes in Philadelphia last Saturday.

EAST BETHEL.

C. M. Kimball visited Portland last week.

Mrs. Irving Kimball of Boston is spending a few weeks' vacation at her home here.

Mrs. Ada Tyler of West Bethel visited her father, Mr. M. S. Coburn, also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbott here last week.

Mrs. F. B. Howe and John Howe have returned home from a visit to Waltham, Mass.

Willis, youngest son of Z. W. Bartlett, fell from the high beams in the barn, a distance of fourteen feet, to the barn floor last Saturday and was badly hurt in the left shoulder and neck, but fortunately so broken bones.

George Blake and family have returned home to Malden, Mass. They were accompanied by Mrs. May Darling and Miss Edna Bartlett, who will spend a few weeks' vacation here.

Alder River Grange held a very interesting meeting last Friday evening. A very pleasing entertainment was prepared by Miss Amy Bartlett and Mrs. Etta Bean, which was as follows: Singing; recitation, Mrs. Nina Swan; farce, A love of a Bonnet, was presented by the following cast:

Mrs. Etta Bean, Mrs. May Hastings, Mrs. Fustons, Mrs. Lizette Bartlett, Her daughter, Kitty, Miss Amy Bartlett, Aunt Hopkins, Mrs. May Kimball, Katie, the Irish girl.

Mrs. Fustons, Mrs. Lizette Bartlett, Her daughter, Dora, Miss Ella Farwell, Singing; recitation, Lamonts, Celestine, The final windup. After the meeting Mrs. Bean and Miss Bartlett served coffee and sandwiches, and a social time was enjoyed.

NEWRY.

H. R. Powers is working for C. D. Bean, Sunday river.

D. Hathorne, wife and daughter from Worcester, Mass., called at A. H. Powers' last Sunday evening.

W. F. Small is entertaining friends from the city this week.

Quite a party went to Albany blueberrying last Sunday.

NORTH BETHEL.

Mr. Silas McKee and daughter, Minnie, of Stoneham visited at the Gopill House a few days the past week.

Mr. Blechard Russell of Hanover is at work here in the mill for Thurston.

Mrs. A. J. Stearns and Miss Mildred Brown were at Northwest Bethel Friday.

Mrs. H. V. Chapman was at North west Bethel blueberrying Friday.

LOCKE'S MILLS.

Miss Ella Sanborn of Bethel, was the guest of Mrs. Lena Rand last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Peasey of Berlin, N. H. spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Frost visited at his home in Lisbon, over Sunday.

Miss Beattie of Massachusetts is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Perry Farrington.

Mrs. Helen Powers of Dixfield, is visiting at the home of Mr. Charles Bartlett.

A number from here are taking a trip up the mountains for big game.

GROVER HILL.

M. A. Jordan and three daughters of Mechanic Falls are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bennett and Mrs. Maurice Tyler.

Dest Brown of North Albany worked for N. A. Stearns Monday.

Tras Brown was at home from Waterford Sunday.

James Howard is buying for D. H. Grover.

Alta Whitman visited relatives at Bethel village a part of last week.

A. J. Francis from West Bethel, was at N. A. Stearns' Sunday.

Frank Foster has been at work for A. L. Whitman and son.

Walter Blake was in this place Sunday.

Rail Stearns was at Oxford one day last week.

SOUTH PARIS.

Mrs. Frank Neillham of Portland is at E. N. Anderson's.

Miss Gertrude Cobb and Miss Leslie Brewer of Portland, have been guests at H. G. Fletcher's the past week.

Miss Eva Farrar of Auburn, daughter of Walter W. Farrar, formerly of South Paris, is visiting relatives here.

The Misses Barnell entertained a number of friends at tea at their home on Main street Wednesday evening.

Harry Morton and daughter Grace were at N. D. Bolster's last week.

Miss Reuber of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her sister Mrs. Henry Fletcher.

Ray A. Chapman of Mila is here for a few days.

Nora Dunham was a guest at C. R. Borden's at West Paris Saturday.

E. N. Haskell is spending a week of his vacation visiting in Denmark.

Frank E. Kimball, H. W. Dennison and Harold T. Thayer started Monday morning to spend a week camping at Peaks Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes of Richmond, were at George Wise's last week.

Miss Grace Thayer spent a few days last week at Higgins Beach with her friend Mrs. Newton of Kent's Hill.

Shirley Pulsifer of Natick, Mass., and Walter Pulsifer of Abington, Mass., have been visiting their grandfather Hiram Pulsifer.

Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Jackson and daughter, Katherine, of Melrose, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Richardson for two or three weeks, most of which time they will spend at Camp Oasley Harrison.

Mrs. Flora E. Barry of Boston, and niece Miss Flora Ritter Harlow of Bridgeport Conn., are guests at Silas B. Maxin's.

Miss Essie M. Wheeler visited the family of T. S. Barnes at their cottage at Peak's Island a few days last week.

A large crowd gathered in Market Square last Thursday evening and listened to the fine band concert, given by the Norway Band.

Percy Walker and Nathan A. Chase are spending a few days on a fishing trip at Errol, N. H.

Base Ball.

The base ball tournament held on the Fair Grounds Saturday, was well attended both forenoon and afternoon. The first game was called at 10:30. The result was Norway, 7; Bolster's Mills, 3.

The second game was at 1:30 and in this West Paris won a victory over Turner with the score 12 to 1. Then came the final game with the result West Paris 4 and Norway 1.

The feature of the day's play was the left handed pitching of Delano of West Paris, who pitched all but one third of an inning of both games for West Paris. During the 17-23 innings that he pitched he struck out 22 men and held his opponents to only one run. Delano was in no way responsible for this run, although young Delano has a record any pitcher may be proud of.

NEWRY.

Mrs. L. F. Bartlett from Sunday River, is staying a few days with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Powers.

W. F. Small has quite a large crew cutting and putting his hay in the barn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Russell went to Waterford, last Saturday returning Sunday.

GROVE MEETING.

Flaks are rapidly completing for a grove meeting at Lake Assagenticook August 25th. The Oxford Association of Universalists have held meetings there annually for many years, which have been largely attended. This year the outlook is indicative of a meeting of excellent quality and the usual large attendance is expected.

EAST DIXFIELD.

Mr. Fred Butterfield and sister, Ida Butterfield, visited at W. G. Hallow's of Dixfield recently.

Mrs. Louisa Blanchard has returned to her home in Auburn.

Miss Louisa Smith from the Sisters' Hospital of Lewiston is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith.

Mrs. Ella Melton of Jay visited her sister, Mrs. G. M. Walton, Thursday.

Miss Lucy Hall was taken to the insane hospital at Augusta last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Tenth of Dixfield Center visited in town last week.

Rev. Llewellyn Raymond attended a funeral in Harrison last week.

Miss Esther Dealey of Farmington is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allen Allen.

Ann Hicock has returned to his work at W. D. Adams'.

Mr. Frank Allen has taken up his residence in this town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Golden with friends from Wilton visited Mrs. Calden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hall, Wednesday.

Miss Ida Fletcher is caring for Mrs. Spargen Butterfield.

Miss Gertrude Hall is clerking for E. A. & C. E. Butterfield.

Miss Lida Allen spent Saturday with the family of W. E. Smith.

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LEWISTON, POLAND, MECHANIC FALLS, RUMFORD FALLS, CANTON, DIXFIELD, RUMFORD FALLS, OQUOSSOC (RANGELEY LAKES)	8:45 A. M.	1:00	1:00
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Connection is made at Oquossoc with steamer to and from Rangeley giving time for a beautiful and restful trip to Rangeley Lake and three hours for dinner at Rangeley Lake House and night riding.
Returning leave Oquossoc 1:35 p. m., arriving Mechanic Falls 6:24 p. m., Lewiston 7:55 p. m.
Tickets at ONE FARE THE ROUND TRIP will also be sold from and to intermediate stations where trains are scheduled to stop. Passengers from line of Grand Trunk Ry. can connect with this train at Mechanic Falls both going and returning.



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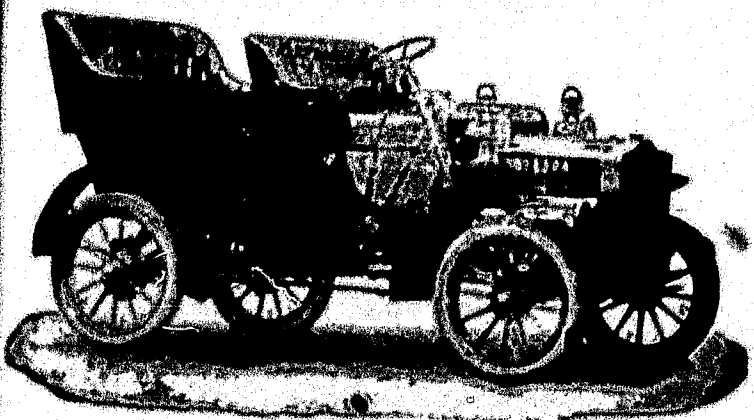
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